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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

"Automobile fractures rib"—not its rib, of course, but the rib of just an ordinary mortal.

Lynn Hays is a good figure. Perhaps he can figure Vermont's population decently large next year. At any rate, we are willing to let him try.

The Waterbury Record presents this week a handsome industrial souvenir of the town of Waterbury. Waterbury has something to write about, too.

William Randolph Hearst would prefer to be governor of his state, but he would take the majority of New York City. Perhaps the voters wouldn't, who knows?

If it wasn't for Ossip Gabrilowitch having just become his son-in-law, Mark Twain might be expected to perpetrate a little joke about the nomenclature of some people. Daughter Clara would be angry, too.

After all, what words could be more full of meaning than those uttered by Gov. Prouty when he heard of Gov. Bell's death: "Governor Bell's death means a loss which will be felt greatly in Vermont." Simple words like those sometimes carry more weight than fulsome eulogy.

President A. P. Lowell of Harvard university has the novel position of being the chief executive of a little republic in itself, divided into various departments for states and having a population of several thousand people. In the educational world President Lowell's position corresponds with the position of Taft in the governmental world.

The information bureau of the Boston &amp; Maine railroad is advertising the attractions of New Hampshire, not because it loves New Hampshire, but because it wants the increased dividends which will come from greater business activity. In this case, what helps the state will help the railroad. That's why the Central Vermont has from year to year advertised Vermont as a summer resort.

Judging from the tone of the journals of the vicinage there is imminent probability of a falling out between New York and Vermont over the location of the Champlain memorial. The New York commission has voted to erect the memorial near Bluff Point, and as New York will pay for it, nobody disputes the legality of its action. Vermont, however, makes the point that the erection of a statue as tall as La Motte would be more appropriate than rival memorials one on each shore of the lake. Moreover, the combination of the two states would sink the last remnant of that unkindness between them that comes down from "good old colony times."—Boston Transcript.

The possibilities are not nearly as dire as the contemporary would have its readers believe. Also let it be understood that New York is not alone paying for a proposed monument. The Vermont commission has a considerable sum of money left over from its Champlain celebration which will be put into a Champlain memorial. It would be absurd for Vermont to try to dilute where New York's memorial is to be placed; the state's desire is to join efforts and place a more fitting monument to the discoverer at the most appropriate place.

The art of polite letter writing is being highly developed in Massachusetts during these days of political activity. Eugene N. Foss, turncoat Republican and candidate for lieutenant-governor on the Democratic ticket, presumed to place his position before the public by published letters to James M. W. Hall, which showed himself up fairly well. Now comes Mr. Hall with another published letter, one or two sentences of which look like veiled javalins; for instance, "We have in the lieutenant-governor a very promising young man (Frothingham) of excellent ability and high character. No beneficial result can come to the state even if so good a man as you should take his place." Another sly dig is contained in the following: "Instead of leaving the Republican party I prefer to continue in it for a term longer, and by their being true to the best interests of the whole country win the approval and support of the best man, including those in the Democratic party." Mr. Hall should have been private secretary to some great man, in which the highly developed art of letter writing is essential.

## THE STATUS OF THE TELEPHONE DISCUSSION.

As we understand the situation in the local telephone discussion, further action is simply held in abeyance, with neither the boards of trade of the two cities nor the Vermont Tel. and Tel. company prevented from petitioning the Vermont public service commission for adjustment of grievances. There is the original petition of the boards of trade before the commission at the present time, but the hearing on it is "held open," thus mak-



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ing it an easy matter to renew the request if the necessity should arise. The same privilege of presentation of alleged grievances is reserved by the telephone company. The boards of trade of Barre and Montpelier have, through the action of the company in withdrawing its toll charge between the two cities, virtually established their original claim that the company has no right to exact higher rates in anticipation of "improvements," that is, charge the public for something which the public has not received. The changes which the company contemplates putting in embrace a central energy system, so-called; but it is a voluntary action of the company and was not requested by the public. In fact, the public is rather in doubt whether the central-energy system would be a marked improvement for all classes of service over the present system, allowing that perhaps a slightly quicker service might be secured. But the installation of this system is a matter of the company's own lookout, and it is to be expected that the change will prove beneficial from the company's standpoint, else the change will not be made. Whether such a change would be of sufficient value to the public to warrant a raise of rates will probably be determined by the Vermont public service commission when the system is installed and not before that time.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy, at the death of our sister,  
Mrs. Agnes Williams.  
Mrs. John Nelson.

## CURRENT COMMENT

## Sincerely Mourned.

Seldom has the death of a prominent citizen brought out more sincere tributes than in the recent demise of former Governor Charles J. Bell. He was reckoned as a man of the people fully in sympathy with the efforts of those who were trying to better their own conditions. While Gov. Bell was not a brilliant man he possessed those qualities of heart and mind, always with the courage of his convictions, which commanded confidence and esteem among his fellow men and made him justly popular. His death is sincerely mourned by a large circle of loyal friends and acquaintances.—Northfield News.

## Vermont in Agriculture.

Statistics recently issued by the Department of Agriculture show that in 1902 Vermont ranked second among the New England states in number of tons of hay produced, in acreage and in farm value of meadow lands, Maine alone exceeding this state. The average yield per acre of potatoes and the average farm value per acre of potatoes were lower in Vermont than in any other New England state. Maine exceeds Vermont in acreage of buckwheat. Vermont leads New England in acreage of barley and average farm value per acre. This state ranks second in acreage of oats, third in average yield per acre, and first in farm value per acre. Vermont led New England last year in acreage and production of corn and in the value of the crop. In number of milch cows, other cattle, and the value of the same, this state is far ahead of any of her New England neighbors. Perhaps the greatest surprise in the list is the low rank taken in the growth of potatoes. It might naturally be expected that Maine would lead but there would seem to be no good reason why Vermont should be the tail ender, although potato growing may not be the most profitable occupation for Vermonters.—Montpelier Journal.

## The Cause of Cancer.

Despite whatever delusions there may have been in connection with cancer, to say nothing of the charlatanism that has gone with the treatment of it, the terrible fact remains that practically nothing is yet known as to its cause, and consequently as to its cure. Nevertheless, Dr. John B. Murphy of Chicago, whose reputation as a surgeon gives his

words great weight, has returned from the international medical congress at Budapest with the cheering assurance that in his belief it is fair to assume "that the next five years should bring out the true cause of cancer." When once the cause is known, the discovery of the remedy will not be far behind. It was so with yellow fever; it is already so with a large extent with consumption and many other diseases. The germ of cholera has been discovered, and no one doubts that presently the medical profession, with the aid of scientific investigation, will be able to cope with a disease which has heretofore claimed its victims by hundreds of thousands in mockery of the sacred waters of the Ganges. So it may be with cancer, one of the most hopeless of diseases hitherto, and which has of late been notably on the increase. First, the finding of the cause; then, the finding of the remedy.—Manchester Union.

## JINGLES AND JESTS

## Wordsworth Up to Date.

She was a Phantom of a Fright  
(When first she gleamed upon my sight)  
A shapeless shape in scanty dress  
To haunt, to startle, to distress.

I saw her upon nearer view;  
The things that woman had to do  
She had to breathe a certain way,  
And walk and walk for miles each day.

She couldn't eat a thing that's good  
For human nature's daily food,  
But just some hygienic stuff,  
And stop before she'd had enough!

You'd think no one, however thin,  
Her sleeklike garments could get in;  
But if you understood the cult  
You'd be surprised at the result!

A perfect woman nobly groomed,  
With hint scarce thirty inches round!  
A slottike form, a halting gait,  
And something like an angel's weight!  
—Carolyn Wells, in Harper's Magazine for September.

## Divided.

Man, foreseeing nothing, invented in  
due season the spade.

"Now what shall we call it?" quoth he.

Art was for calling it a spade, but  
Decency recoiled.

"Never!" shrieked Decency. "Any-  
thing but that!"

And man, thenceforward, though not  
knowing why, was uncomfortably di-  
vided between two counsels.—Puck.

## Where Do Your Earnings Go?

Every week you get a little envelope containing the week's earnings.

A part of this money must go to pay living expenses—food, clothing, rent, heat, lights; a little for pleasure; something for books, papers, magazines; a little more for insurance, perhaps.

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## EAST BARRE.

Mrs. Ida Cochrane is ill at her home.  
Mrs. Frank Bowen is on the sick list.

Frank Diekey was out yesterday, being some better.  
Ida Eastman is visiting at the home of A. B. Hutchins.

Mrs. Fred Loomis, Jr., is among the sick ones at present.  
Gladys Wolcott is working in the family of M. J. Whitcomb.

Mr. Franz is expecting to move his family to the city next week.

Mrs. Charles Gravel is quite a little better, being now able to be down stairs.

Let everyone remember "ladies' night" at the grange at Washington Friday night.

Mrs. Minard went to Burlington Wednesday to attend the state convention of W. C. T. U.

The harvest supper, given by the Women's Auxiliary last Tuesday night, was quite well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitcomb have been entertaining friends from the northern part of the state, recently.

Mrs. Linn Prior returned from Montreal last week, where she went for the little boy whom they have adopted.

Frank Paquin had one eye severely injured recently while working at the stone crusher. Dr. Avery is attending him.

Mrs. Elvira Scott of Brandon and Miss Ardella Harrington of South Barre visited at the home of Mrs. Conney Tuesday, also calling on Mrs. L. Hall and going to the home of Mrs. Durell and Mrs. Bates in the afternoon.

The ladies of Silver Leaf circle desire to express their sincere thanks to all those who assisted them during their fair last week and especially to the public for the very liberal patronage which they received during the entire four nights.

## FUNERAL OF C. O. PERKINS.

Was Held in Rutland Yesterday Afternoon.

Rutland, Oct. 7.—Funeral services for Clarence O. Perkins of North Main street, who died Sunday morning at his home, were held at the Congregational church at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the church being nearly filled with the many friends of the family. At 1:30 o'clock there were prayers at the house. Rev. W. H. Spence, pastor of the Congregational church, officiated at both services and at the grave, the burial being in Evergreen cemetery. George P. Russell was the funeral director.

The bearers were Dr. Charles S. Sawyer, William F. Burditt, Edwin E. Keyes, Fred G. Swinnerton, Newman K. Claffee and Frank J. Wade.

Most of the stores closed between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in respect for the late Mr. Perkins.

## SUES FOR \$10,000.

Occupant of an Automobile Seeks to Recover From Driver of It.

Rutland, Oct. 7.—L. H. Barber of Rutland has filed a suit in United States court against J. H. White of Meriden, Conn., asking \$10,000 damages on the ground of negligence. He alleges that he was injured while a passenger in Mr. White's automobile. Robert C. Bacon of Rutland is counsel for the plaintiff and C. C. Fitts and H. E. Eddy for the defendant.



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